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Chio Wesleyan Taps Aruba Networks' 802.11n Solution for Wireless Network.  
Wireless News, NA  
May 7, 2008  
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 310 LINE COUNT: 00030

Aruba Networks, a provider of wireless LANs and secure unified mobility solutions, announced that Chio Wesleyan University has selected and commenced deployment of Aruba's 802.11n adaptive wireless LANs across its Delaware, Ohio, campus.

Chio Wesleyan University is...

...its campus. The wireless network will consist of redundant centralized MMC-6000 Multi-Service Mobility Controllers and more than 400 Aruba AP-124 and AP-125 802.11n access points spread across 50 academic, administrative, athletic, and residential facilities. The AP-124 access points will be used with remote antennas to provide wireless coverage outdoors.

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Networking Vendors Pushing 802.11n Transition.  
PC Magazine Online, NA  
April 28, 2008  
ISSN: 1078-8085 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 660 LINE COUNT: 00055

Aruba Networks, for example, is delivering both new hardware and software with this goal in mind...

...new innovative features: first, they're upgradeable to 802.11n via a software upgrade. Second, Aruba's management technology enables administrators to configure the APs to act not just as access gateways for wireless clients, but intrusion detection devices or as nodes in a secure wireless mesh network.

The AP's new software allows them to be turned into what Aruba calls mobile remote access points, meaning they're able to establish a VPN IPSec tunnel back to the control switch in the data center. A nice touch here is the software also includes a splitter...looking to deploy 802.11n over time," said Michael Tennefoss, head of strategic marketing at Aruba.

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Aruba Networks Offers New White Paper on Wireless LAN RF Architecture.  
Wireless News, NA  
March 15, 2008  
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 413 LINE COUNT: 00037

... can really hope to accomplish with each of them" said Peter Thornycroft, author of the **Aruba** white paper. "I start with the theory of operation, explain the letter and spirit of between **access points** were centrally **managed**. What was true in the cellular world was found also to be true in the...

...one considers the world's largest wireless LAN deployments -- those in which all of the **access points** are **managed** from a central controller -- they are all adaptive multi-channel networks," said Keerti Melkote, **Aruba**'s founder and head of products and partnerships. "The reason is because using multiple channels..."

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**AirWave Wireless Management Suite Version 5.3 expands options for WLAN managers.** (NEW PRODUCTS)  
W-Fi Wireless LAN, 18, 2, 13(1)  
Feb, 2008  
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
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**AirWave Rolls Out Wireless Management Suite Version 5.3.**  
Wireless News, NA  
Feb 11, 2008  
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**Trapeze Networks Introduces NonStop Wireless(TM) for the Always On Enterprise.**  
PR Newswire, pNA

April 22, 2008  
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext  
Document Type: News wire; Trade  
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**AirWave Wireless Management Suite Version 5.3 Expands Options for WLAN Managers.**  
Business Wre, pNA  
Feb 6, 2008  
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Aruba-Airwave: A subtle harbinger of change? \* How wireless might affect sourcing strategies. (Aruba Wireless Networks) (AirWave Wireless Inc.)

Wexler, Joanie

Network World, pNA

Jan 14, 2008

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...network demarcation lines and requires unprecedented levels of interoperability?

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Not surprisingly, independent WLAN maker Meru Networks has a different...

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802.11n wireless gear to shine

Cox, John

Network World v25n16 PP: 20 Apr 21, 2008

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...ABSTRACT: unveiling at Interop Las Vegas next week a slew of Draft 2 IEEE 802.11n access points, controllers and management features aimed at spurring enterprise adoption of the technology. The best example is the vendors...

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TEXT: Aerohive, **Aruba**, Meru, Ruckus and Trapeze all getting into the act at Interop

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The new access points can vary...

...Ethernet options.

Aerohive Networks is adding the first 802.11n access points to its "no-controller" WLAN architecture. Controller functions are distributed to the Hive access points, which work together to coordinate the WLAN...

...The products use an Aerohive technology called SmartPoE, which detects how much power a PoE switch is supplying to the access point. In most cases, according to the company, the devices...

...an enterprise simply and quickly create and manage WLAN access for guests and visitors. Guest-Manager costs \$10,000.

Aruba Networks is releasing a pair of two-radio 802.11abg access points that can activate...

...400 per device, depending on the number deployed. They are slated to ship this quarter.

Aruba executives say the new access points will run with full 802.11n function using a single 802.3af power injector connection. That's because of some power management code inside the access point, according to Aruba.

Aruba also is releasing a new version of its portable access point, the Mobile Remote Access...

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The N Crowd - New wireless gear offers better performance, but doesn't yet reach promised heights (Cover Story)

Mario Mrejon & Samara Lynn

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... to take a look at some of these higher-end offerings.

Reviewers extended invitations to Aruba Networks Inc., Bluesocket Inc., Cisco Systems Inc., Meru Networks, Ruckus Wireless Inc. and Trapeze Networks...

...and sent engineers to the CRN Test Center lab to help testers configure the WLAN access points and controllers. Reviewers also examined an 802.11n access point from San Jose, Calif.-based Cisco that...

...Cisco?" on page 28).

Meru's offering included its AP320 access point and its MC3000 controller. The devices were running Meru software version 3.4.SR3-113. Meru's access point...

...Y-Z axis.

The Ruckus setup included its ZoneFlex 7942 access point and ZoneDirector 1000 controller. The Ruckus software version was 3.02. The ZoneDirector is not necessary to configure the 7942 access point but with the help of a Ruckus engineer, reviewers used the ZoneDirector to tweak various...

...because they wanted to test under real-world conditions.

Reviewers ran the tests with single access point configurations

on Channel 6 and kept channelization at 20 MHz. In addition, testers asked Meru and...

...use and price/performance.

Ruckus offers a Web-based management interface to its ZoneDirector WLAN switch, which was used effortlessly to set up the test wireless environment. From there, IP addressing...

...interface opens up into a dashboard view. From the dashboard, detailed information of each currently managed access point is displayed; MAC address, model, IP address, channel and number of clients connected are all...

...information is listed on the left side of the dashboard. System overview of the ZoneDirector controller is displayed as are a devices overview and a usage summary.

The interface also has...

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3Com introduces branch office wireless  
Byline: John Cox  
Journal: Network World  
Publication Date: September 27, 05  
Word Count: 212 Line Count: 21

Text:  
3Com has introduced a wireless LAN switch targeted at branch and remote offices. Shipping this week, the 2-port WKR100 also includes updated...

...and run, by connecting over a WAN link to one of 3Com's higher end WLAN switches at a regional or headquarters site. The parent switch downloads configuration data. Locally, the wireless access points in the branch automatically link up with the...

... simple Web screens instead of, as in the past, a command line interface. The branch switch works not only with companion 3Com access points, but also includes software to work with...

... which packages such features as Advanced Encryption System (AES) and 802.11i authentication mechanisms. Rival WLAN switches for these kinds of sites are available also from Cisco, Aruba and Symbol. 3Com is competing on price, and by including features such as detection and...

... for an additional cost. List price for the WKR100 is \$999; the companion 3Com 3750 Managed Access Point is \$499.

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802.11n Heads To College  
Telecom Web news break  
May 1, 2008 DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSLETTER  
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TEXT:

...universities within the next five years.

And as if to give substance to that prediction, Aruba Networks this morning disclosed one of the first of those university deployments - an order

from..

...W-Fi (VoW-Fi) in schools.

"ABI Research believes that W-Fi access point and controller equipment revenue in the global higher education market will skyrocket from \$137 million in 2007...

...that might impact the hardware now being marketed.

Those products include the hardware about which **Aruba** today was crowing, sold to Chio Wesleyan "on the strength of a competitively priced, technically...

...open bid."

The value of the Chio Wesleyan order was not disclosed. Under the pact, **Aruba** is supplying redundant centralized MMC-6000 Multi-Service Mobility Controllers and more than 400 **Aruba** AP-124 and AP-125 802.11n access points spread across 50 academic, administrative, athletic and residential facilities.

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**Trapeze Networks Introduces NonStop Wireless(TM) for the Always On Enterprise Unrivaled Reliability, Performance, Scalability and Management**  
PR Newswire

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...they'll be charged an additional fee, the amount of which is volume-based.

Additionally, Aruba has ...LAN management abilities, not the least of which was the purchase of AirWave Wireless. Until Aruba's purchase, AirWave was distinguished one of the leading third-party wireless network management software...

...even integrates into larger wired LAN management platforms, including Microsoft's MMC. Purchasing AirWave gives Aruba a definite leg up with regards to attracting customers with larger wireless LAN management duties ...re staying in their own offices, and simply taking over the lead with regards to Aruba's management initiatives, but they'll continue supporting third-party hardware, too."

If those claims bear out over time, Aruba will be in an enviable position on two fronts of the wireless LAN spectrum hardware and software management.

But Aruba isn't alone in showing off new W-Fi products at Interop. Ruckus Wireless is...only \$700 -- a definite draw for SMBs, especially in conjunction with Ruckus' low-cost secure wireless switches and ZoneDirector management software.

Other vendors showing new 802.11n wireless hardware include Aerohive Networks and Trapeze Networks, with the latter demoing a new hardware capability...

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**TechWeb's Interop Las Vegas and Software Recaps Exhibition Announcements.**

Wireless News, NA

April 27, 2008

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... of aggregate bandwidth, the Arastra 7148S complements the previously announced Arastra 7124S and Arastra 7148SX.

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Motorola Aims For All-Wireless Enterprise; With new products and initiatives, executive Sujal Hajela predicts that his division will impress the enterprise in the transition to faster 802.11n networks.  
InformationWeek, NA  
March 17, 2008

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TEXT:

...supremacy in the wireless enterprise networking market, Motorola last week released two new products -- a wireless LAN switch and an adaptive access point with three radios -- while trumpeting the arrival, at last, of...

... has seen its market share slip slightly over the last year, according to Gartner, with Aruba Networks and Motorola/Symbol adding customers.

Motorola's new product line includes what it calls...

...11n access point," the AP-7131, as well as the RFS6000, a multicore processor-based wireless LAN switch aimed specifically at medium-sized businesses.

The arrival of the 802.11n standard, which is...

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Over 50 Exhibitors Announce Latest Products and News at TechWeb's Interop Las Vegas and Software 2008.

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The purchase gives Aruba a well-regarded WLAN management application, one of the few that can manage different brands...

...it administers a common set of features across a multivendor network.  
Today, AirWave supports Cisco, Aruba, HP ProCurve, Motorola/Symbol, Avaya, Foundry, Proxim 3Com Trapeze, Tropos and many other vendors.  
Enterprise WLANs are less uniform than they may at first seem. A company might deploy WLAN switches and thin access points in a headquarters, but chose intelligent access points for retail outlets...

...disruptive technologies" like 802.11n and WMAX, says Michael Tennefoss, head of strategic marketing for Aruba.  
"These technologies mean potentially costly large-scale upgrades to the edges and core of the...

...doing." That means continuing to develop its platform as a vendor-neutral wireless management framework. Aruba will continue to sell its existing WLAN management application for Aruba-only deployments.  
Tennefoss says the acquisition gives Aruba the tools to apply its "unified network" concept across the various wireless topologies and technologies that enterprises are adopting, and blend these more seamlessly with the existing wireline infrastructure.  
And Aruba now has a foot in the door of Cisco and Motorola customers, where AirWave has...  
...COMPANY NAMES: Contracts; Aruba Wireless Networks...

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MAKING COMPANY AIRWAVES SAFE FOR WIFI

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By Neil Gross

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JOURNAL CODE: BW

SECTION HEADLINE: Developments to Watch ISSN: 0007-7135

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TEXT:

... it. You can do it in 10 minutes," says Pankaj Manglik, a founder of startup Aruba Wireless Networks.

Manglik and co-founder Keerti Melkote have designed tools to let the corporate IT guys lock down the airwaves. The main component is a secure wireless network switch that sits in the wiring closet next to the other critical network devices. That switch...

... air, allowing legitimate users onto the network, blocking others, and keeping the systems people briefed. Aruba has filed for patents and begun talking with potential customers in financial services and other...

TABLE:

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Duke builds huge 11n wireless net

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...TEXT: points from Meru Networks. Wireless pioneer Carnegie Mellon University in December selected two WLAN vendors, Aruba and Xirrus, as its 802.11n suppliers for a phased WLAN upgrade that may in...

...points when completed: 2,500+ Cisco Aironet 1250s

Number of Cisco 3750-E enhanced PoE switches : 110 (estimated)

Number of Cisco Catalyst 6500 switches : Three, with Wireless Service Module (WSM)

Throughput planned: Targets range from roughly 25Mbps each for five to six ...

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**MAKING COMPANY AIRWAVES SAFE FOR WIFI**  
Arnst, Catherine; Gross, Neil  
Business Week n3811 PP: 84 Dec 9, 2002  
ISSN: 0739-8395 JRNLCODE: BWE

... ABSTRACT: WiFi networks often wish they could roam untethered with the same laptop at work. Startup **Aruba** Wireless Networks has designed tools to let the corporate IT guys lock down the airwaves. The main component is a secure wireless network switch.

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00575475 91-49824  
**North America's Communication Industry Global Strategies for Three Northern American Companies**  
Budwey, James N.  
Telecommunications (International Edition) v25n10 PP: 224-236 Oct 1991  
JRNLCODE: TIE  
WORD COUNT: 6108

... TEXT: response, intelligent networks, upgrading and digitizing the network infrastructure, video teleconferencing, cellular/mobile radio, the wireless communication systems, routers, bridges, gateways, frame relay, PBX, key systems, adjunct processors, facsimile, and many others, all represent robust and... transmission equipment, to countries such as Spain, the Netherlands, Indonesia, Taiwan, Singapore, Egypt, Poland, Armenia, **Aruba**, Korea, Mexico, and others.

A second element to the corporate strategy is "to establish world...

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DIALOG File 647: CMP Computer Fulltext  
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01306550 CMP ACCESSION NUMBER: CRN20080324S0012  
**The N Crowd - New wireless gear offers better performance, but doesn't yet reach promised heights** (Cover Story)  
Merlo Morejon & Samara Lynn  
CRN 2008, n 015, PG20  
PUBLICATION DATE: 080324  
JOURNAL CODE: CRN LANGUAGE: English  
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
SECTION HEADING: CRNtech  
WORD COUNT: 3902

... to take a look at some of these higher-end offerings.

Reviewers extended invitations to **Aruba** Networks Inc., Bluesocket Inc., Cisco Systems Inc., Meru Networks, Ruckus Wireless Inc. and Trapeze Networks...

... of use and price/performance.

Ruckus offers a Web-based management interface to its ZoneDirector **WLAN switch**, which was used effortlessly to set up the test **wireless** environment. From there, IP addressing, SSID and security methods are configured. Ruckus' system supports up...  
COMPANY NAMES (DI ALCG GENERATED): Acer ; All VAR ; **Aruba** Networks Inc ;  
Big Dog Partner Program; Bluesocket Inc ; Bottom Line ; Calence LLC ;  
Cisco Systems Inc...

17/3, K/12 (Item 1 from file: 674)  
DI ALCG R/ File 674: Computer News Fulltext  
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119572  
3Com introduces branch office **wireless**  
Byline: John Cox  
Journal: Network World  
Publication Date: September 27, 05  
Word Count: 212 Line Count: 21

Text:  
3Com has introduced a **wireless LAN switch** targeted at branch and remote offices. Shipping this week, the 2-port WXR100 also includes updated ...

...configure, and run, by connecting over a WAN link to one of 3Com's higher end **WLAN switches** at a regional or headquarters site. The parent **switch** downloads configuration data. Locally, the **wireless** access points in the branch automatically link up with the WXR100 to create the **WLAN**...

... 2, which packages such features as Advanced Encryption System (AES) and 802.11i authentication mechanisms. Rival **WLAN switches** for these kinds of sites are available also from Cisco, **Aruba** and Symbol. 3Com is competing on price, and by including features such as detection and...

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117487  
Balancing W-Fi access and security  
\* Aruba protects against foreign client infections  
Byline: Joanie Vexler  
Journal: Network World  
Publication Date: June 22, 05  
Word Count: 502 Line Count: 50

\* Aruba protects against foreign client infections  
Text:  
... to a contractor, consultant or supplier, and are not provisioned and managed by your IT organization. **Aruba** Wireless Networks recently announced its approach to balancing the security and access issues surrounding foreign...

... W-Fi systems vendors, too, are at least thinking about endpoint security. After all, a **wireless** access point or wireless LAN switch might be the very first point of corporate network contact for a mobile device that has been exposed to Internet infections before attempting to reconnect. In November 2004, **Aruba** said it was teaming with security companies Sygate and Fortinet to integrate the stateful firewall in **Aruba**'s **WLAN switch/controller** with the other companies' client software and firewall technologies, respectively. Earlier this month, the fruit of the Sygate partnership emerged in the form of Client Integrity Module software for **Aruba** appliances. With it, **Aruba** appliances can determine if the client attempting to connect is an unmanaged device. If it...

... blocked from communicating with other W-Fi clients in peer-to-peer fashion, notes Jon Green, **Aruba** product manager. Perhaps most interesting is the virtual desktop feature. Since most people don't...

... controllers, but we haven't heard any further developments on that

relationship (or on the Aruba -Fortinet relationship, for that matter).

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Extreme updates its wireless LAN menu  
New access points and WLAN switches support VoW-Fi, easier management and security.

Byline: Phil Hochmuth  
Journal: Network World Page Number: 10  
Publication Date: June 27, 05  
Word Count: 644 Line Count: 63

New access points and WLAN switches support VoW-Fi, easier management and security.

Text:

... line, introducing appliances and access points that support faster client roaming, QoS and improved management of WLAN security and infrastructure. Extreme says its Summit WM WLAN switches and Altitude 350-2 access points could help organizations better support deployment of voice over wireless...

... with InStat/MDR. "This equipment is designed to run in heterogeneous networks," whereas Extreme's past wireless-LAN architecture relied on software added to its LAN switches for managing and securing access points. The Summit WM is a wireless-LAN control appliance...

... VoW-Fi gateways to support the SVP protocol.) In addition to airwave QoS, the Summit WM switches support Layer 3 fast roaming, which lets a WLAN client roam across access points connected to different subnets. To support this, the Summit WM makes...

... the first major upgrades to Extreme's WLAN portfolio since it introduced its Altitude 300 and WLAN-enabled Summit and Alpine Layer 2/3 Ethernet switches in 2003. Extreme says the new Altitude access points will not work with the older WLAN-enabled switches, but users with older Altitude 300 access points can use the devices on newer Summit WM...

... features such as QoS and roaming support. The Summit WM-based architecture is similar to WLAN overlay technology offered by WLAN switch vendors such as Aruba Wireless Networks and Trapeze Networks, and Cisco's Airespace-based WLAN technology, as well as VoW...

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Regulatory & Government Affairs

Telecommunications Reports

January 26, 1998 VOL: 64 ISSUE: 4 DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSLETTER

PUBLISHER: BRP PUBLICATIONS

LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

WORD COUNT: 1470

RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

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TEXT:

... digital cable system The Pan American cable system would link the U.S. Virgin Islands, Aruba, Venezuela, Colombia, Panama, Ecuador, Peru, and Chile. The companies involved are Americatel Corp., AT&T...

... COMPANY NAME(S): Exchange Carrier Association; Network Services; New York Public Service Commission; North American Numbering Council; Oceanic Wireless Network Inc.; Oklahoma Corporation; Pacific Gateway Exchange; Philippines Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc.; Public Utility Control; San Juan Telephone Co Inc.; Southern...

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DI ALCOG R) File 610: Business Wire  
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0001825071 1962654EOCEB111DCB7788FF32EF576B7 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)  
**NetLogic Microsystems Announces Record Fourth Quarter and Fiscal Year 2007 Financial Results**  
Business Wire  
Tuesday, January 29, 2008 T21:30:00Z  
JOURNAL CODE: BW LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT  
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE  
WORD COUNT: 5,716

...and markets high performance knowledge-based processors for a variety of advanced wireline and mobile wireless networking systems, such as routers, switches, wireless infrastructure equipment, network security appliances, network access equipment and networked storage devices.  
NetLogic Microsystems' knowledge...

... COMPANY NAMES: DELCITTE AND TOUCHE (ARUBA)

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**Over 50 Exhibitors Announce Latest Products and News at TechWeb's Interop Las Vegas and Software 2008 North America's Largest Business Technology Event Provides Platform for Business IT Leaders' Significant Announcements**  
PR Newswire  
Monday, April 21, 2008 T15:30:00Z  
JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT  
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE  
WORD COUNT: 2,880

...of aggregate bandwidth, the Arastra 7148S complements the previously announced Arastra 7124S and Arastra 7148SX.

**Aruba** will prominently feature 802.11n at their booth, and the company will be announcing new 802.11n product extensions. **Aruba** will introduce enhancements to its green teleworker remote access and VPN replacement product family, innovative new wireless intrusion prevention and classification technology, and the new multi-vendor **AirWave Wireless Management Suite 6**.

Astaro is launching the **Astaro Web Gateway**, an all-in-one product to secure and control web access. This solution includes URL...

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**PR Newswire Summary of Technology Copy, Feb. 13, 2008**  
PR Newswire  
Wednesday, February 13, 2008 T21:25:00Z  
JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT  
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE  
WORD COUNT: 4,435

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NYW031 02/13/2008 08:00 r f Vi conics-ASHRAEAwards  
(MONTREAL) Vi conics **Wireless Gateway** Receives Honourable Mention  
for ASHRAE Product Innovation Awards

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02648866 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 92232810 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
At the wireless edge - XML protocols, peer-to-peer nets to ease WLAN  
management.

Fleishman, Glenn  
InfoWorld, 24, 39, 37  
Sept 30, 2002

ISSN: 0199-6649 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 1400 LINE COUNT: 00119

TEXT:

...complexity, and IT managers wrestle with the twin burdens of staff time and security when configuring and maintaining wireless APs (access points) across their enterprises, a previously unnecessary category of network management solution has started to proliferate... Cisco, and from newcomers such as Sputnik, central controllers work with the vendor's proprietary APs to aggregate the configuration, updating, and monitoring of entire VLANs. Providing configuration templates and a Web-based interface for managing groups of APs, these controllers can apply common configurations to hundreds of APs at a time, and they can reduce the time to install new APs by using...

...result, implementing a central controller can be quite cost-effective. A single controller can typically manage as many as several hundred access points at a fixed cost that can drop below \$10 per access point for large deployments...

...turning them into dumb radios connected to a central switch. The closest similar devices from Vernier, Bluesocket, and Reefedge control aspects of network-edge issues for VLANs, but Symbol's approach...

...of the network entirely into the server closet by eliminating any network function from the access points.

The Mbiix Axon switch manages its "access ports," as Symbol terms them, as a cloud of radio coverage. The first...

...year.

Updating configurations centrally, especially MAC (media access control) lists and other authentication that network administrators choose to enable in each AP, can represent a huge time savings. But despite these benefits, the current controllers have two...

...exchange authenticated, encrypted messages that allow the controller to sense the presence of newly installed access points, pass them configuration info, and detect problems on the VLAN. Proxim and Cisco are also looking at including... one another in a peer-to-peer network. No centralized controller handles each device's configuration; instead, access points sit in a mesh, updating themselves as information passes from one to the next.

Bill...

...let them avoid building head count while rolling out VLAN service. The current generation of management controllers, although wedded to proprietary access points, can turn large-scale VLAN deployment from impossible to easily manageable. The next generation will thoroughly integrate the control of VLAN access points into an administrative workflow, further reducing management costs.

Related Articles: Special Report: Wireless network management  
THE BOTTOM LINE...

...vendors such as Proxim and Cisco can radically reduce wireless operating costs by automating some configuration and management of VLAN access points. However, these tools require the use of access points from a single vendor and proprietary...

...controller and access points.

Test Center Perspective: The use of XML-based protocols to transmit configuration and other information using commodity access points.

peer-to-peer access points, or even dumb radios across large networks might obviate the...

TRADE NAMES: Symbol Technologies Mbbius Axon Wireless Switch (Wireless LAN WAN system..

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02648865 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 92232809 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
Wireless LANs at the office - IT becomes an air traffic controller when managing VLANs and their users.  
Schwartz, Ephraim  
InfoWorld, 24, 39, 34  
Sept 30, 2002  
ISSN: 0199-6649 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 1644 LINE COUNT: 00131

... decides to rethink its original decision and open up the wireless network? Now the network administrator has to upgrade the APs, which were artfully and painstakingly placed above the ceiling tiles. Unless the software purchased with...

... keeps the user connected, Sturniolo adds.

After security, the single biggest reason customers come to Vernier is because it has a roaming solution across subnets that allows users to move seamlessly...

... to another without breaking the connection, says Julian Richards, senior director of product marketing at Vernier Networks in Mountain View, Calif. If roaming is not addressed, "(and) you move to another... that each AP be changed individually.

To address the need for better central VLAN control, Vernier offers a two-tier solution that includes boxes at the edge that the APs plug...

... this month its solution for central control of VLANs as well. Using a so-called wireless switch -- not actually wireless but cabled to the wireless APs -- Symbol's Mbbius uses dumbed-down access ports rather than access points and puts all of the intelligence into the switch that connects to the network. With VLAN management centralized on a switch, network managers will have a systemwide view of the network on their console and a...

... see "At the wireless edge"). To sidestep this potential problem companies such as Symbol and Vernier plan to build redundancy into the next version of their systems, according to sources.  
The...

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02640499 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 91008484 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
Symbol dumbs down access points, upends VLAN model.  
Mannion, Patrick  
Electronic Engineering Times, 12  
Sept 2, 2002  
ISSN: 0192-1541 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 464 LINE COUNT: 00041

Manhasset, N.Y. - Using dumb, low-cost access points (APs) tethered to a centralized multiservice switch, Symbol Technologies has rearchitected the enterprise wireless-LAN deployment model. Its switched wireless architecture looks to increase network manageability and to offset...

... frustrating customers because these can cost up to \$600 or more (for an enterprise-class access point). The management problems only increase as nodes are added."

While companies such as ReefEdge and Vernier do add security, mobility and other management functions in a relatively low-cost, highly scalable...

...All the Access Ports run back to an intelligent Layer 2, 3 and 4 multiservice switch that contains the security features, wireless services, application programming interfaces and content management software. The Linux-based IP switch comes in...

...367.

The architecture has similarities to Proxim's Harmony AP Controller and BlueSocket Inc.'s Wireless Gateway. But those "require the network to be redesigned and rearchitected whenever APs are added," said...

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02613002 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 86425736 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
The Plunge Into Wireless -- Opportunities abound for VAPs in VLANs--an area complicated by myriad standards and security issues.

Hakala, David

VAPbusiness, 56

May 13, 2002

ISSN: 0894-5802

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LANGUAGE: English

LINE COUNT: 00240

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

... the extensible authentication protocol (EAP).

Vendor-agnostic WLAN security appliances are available from Bluesocket, ReefEdge, Vernier Networks and Ecutel. Sitting between the APs and the wired LANs, the products provide centralized...

...that connects up to eight Ethernet devices to an AP, and a building-to-building bridge. All Aironet products support 802.1x and 128-bit WEP.

"Wireless was the first Cisco specialization program we introduced, in February 2001," says Surinder Brar, senior...

...3Com's Workgroup Bridge supports up to four devices via a hub. A separate client bridge supports a single Ethernet-ready device.

"Our wireless certification program really got started (in January)," says Dave Smith, vice president of sales for ...needed to add 802.1x, per-session dynamic keys, VPN tunneling, RADIUS support and centralized management of up to 30 APs. Harmony and Skyline also come in 802.11b versions.

VAR support: The direction of Proxim...

...242-9700

www.reefedge.com

3Com

Santa Clara, Calif.

(408) 326-5000

www.3com.com

Vernier Networks

Mountain View, Calif.

(650) 237-2200

www.verniernetworks.com

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02609114 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 87052549 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
ELITE SOLUTION SECURES VLANs -- SMC's well-rounded EliteConnect System came out on top in our tests. But its rivals can move quickly in a rapidly evolving wireless environment.

Robinson, Cornell W., III; Mbita, Dave

Network Computing, 48

June 10, 2002

... network. Our invitee list included Bluesocket, Columbitech, Ecutel, Fortress Technologies, NetMotion Wireless, Netseal, Reef Edge and Vernier Networks. Netseal didn't respond to our inquiries, and Fortress declined our invite. Vernier initially agreed to participate but subsequently withdrew, citing a lack of resources. Then, at the 11th hour, SMC Networks enthusiastically offered us its OEM version of Vernier's product.

The solutions impressed us with management capabilities that significantly enhanced the security and...

...management.

A Tale of Two Architectures

Three of the products we tested-Bluesocket VG-1000 Wireless Gateway, Reef Edge Connect System and SMC EliteConnect-are hardware-based systems; the rest run as services...CHOC

B-

SMC Networks

EliteConnect WLAN Security system

SMC EliteConnect is an OEM version of Vernier's two-tiered 6000-series system. The Secure Server authenticates users, maintains a consistent configuration...product never dropped a packet while roaming. Although EliteConnect's throughput could use some improvement, Vernier and SMC have gotten everything else right.

SMC EliteConnect WLAN Security System SMC EliteConnect WLAN...starts at \$7,500. Reef Edge, (201) 548-2600. [www.reefedge.com](http://www.reefedge.com)

C-

Bluesocket

VG-1000 Wireless Gateway 1.0

Bluesocket's VG-1000 Wireless Gateway can deliver maximum control over your WLAN. This product is loaded with features; it offers far more control of WLAN clients than...

...complicates management in large environments where multiple systems are deployed. You can set up two wireless gateways in a master-slave configuration to provide failover support for added redundancy, but if you want to support a new wireless subnet, you have to configure a new gateway from scratch. Version 2.0 still lacks central management. Bluesocket says it wants to avoid...version, the VG-1000 would appear to work best in an organization with a flat wireless network requiring only one gateway or in environments where management of subnets and network security may be decentralized (many university...)

...limitations, Bluesocket's VG-1000 is an appealing and cost-effective solution.

Bluesocket VG-1000 Wireless Gateway 1.0, \$5,995. Bluesocket, (781) 328-0888, (866) 633-3358. [www.bluesocket.com](http://www.bluesocket.com)

C...to test each product without interference from any other.

For the software-based products, we configured access points behind each router with slightly overlapping cells. When a wireless device moved from the coverage...

...operate when we roamed between access points. To evaluate roaming speed, we set up a switch that was connected behind both wireless subnets and made VLANs on the switch to support each wireless subnet. Then we wired a PC into the same switch. With the help of the switch's command line, we switched the PC between subnets...

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02605695 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 86425715 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
Campus WLAN Design -- Tasked with implementing a wireless LAN? It's not as difficult as you might think once you know the basics of radio design. (Tutorial)

Mblta, Dave

Network Computing, 123

May 13, 2002

DOCUMENT TYPE: Tutorial

ISSN: 1046-4468

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 3204 LINE COUNT: 00257

... in virtually any location, even if an AC outlet is not nearby.  
Note that some APs and NICs can be configured to reduce the  
output power of the radio, effectively shrinking the RF cell radius and...

...ceiling. In designing a campus VLAN, be aware it may not be legal to  
purchase APs from one company and configure them with third-party  
antennas. This is because when vendors submit their products for FCC...

...can consider third-party management and security products Bluesocket,  
Colubitech, Ecutech, Funk, NetMotion, NetSeal, ReefEdge, Vernier, and  
others. Finally, many organizations use standards-based VPN gateways and  
VPN clients on all...existing Ethernet equipment. For example, if you have  
lots of bandwidth and fairly advanced Ethernet switches, you might  
establish wireless VLANs--maybe even a single wireless VLAN to more  
easily manage addresses and to enforce security policies. The wireless VLAN  
can...

...invest in some additional hardware and software.  
First, think about how you're going to manage hundreds of access  
points. Configuration of APs in an enterprise environment needs to be  
automated. Some AP vendors, including Proxim, design their...

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02576484 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 82521130 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)  
WLAN SECURITY On The Rise -- There are no easy answers yet for ensuring  
authentication, privacy and authorization on wireless LANs, but the  
future looks a bit less scary.

Mbita, Dave  
Network Computing, 86  
Feb. 4, 2002  
ISSN: 1046-4468 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
WORD COUNT: 3128 LINE COUNT: 00260

... access points and often present the available systems to you in a  
pick list. Some access points can be configured to suppress broadcast  
of SSIDs. On systems configured in this manner, only clients that know...  
model, it is arguably elegant.

Hardware-based security solutions include offerings from Bluesocket,  
ReefEdge and Vernier Networks. These start-up vendors sell products that  
involve the interconnection of your access points...

...or more essential security features. For example, NASA's Advanced  
Security Computing Division has developed WFG (Wireless Firewall Gateway),  
built on OpenBSD and providing DHCP services, SSL-based Web authentication  
and customizable per-user...

...restricting access to the WLAN based on a table of MAC addresses stored  
on the access point. Some vendors provide management utilities that  
let these MAC ACLs be distributed to multiple access points within an  
organization...

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09844611 Supplier Number: 85899927 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)  
Wireless security top priority at N+1.(Buyers Guide)  
Frontline Solutions, v3, n4, p47  
April, 2002  
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext  
Article Type: Buyers Guide  
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Professional  
Word Count: 422

... technologies, such as 802.11b, 802.11a and Bluetooth, and supports multiple mobile devices.

The Vernier Networks CS 5000 Control Server centrally manages authentication for all wireless users, coordinates all Layer 3 roaming, and enforces policies and user privileges. The Access Manager connects to multiple access points or edge switches, enforcing pre-configured user rights for authenticated users, enables roaming, and functions as a PPTP, IPsec and L2TP...

...to 54Mbps in standard mode and 72Mbps in Atheros Turbo Mode.

Bluesocket's VG-1000 Wireless Gateway provides access, security, management and mobility solutions for 802.11 and Bluetooth devices.

Taiwan-based Edimax Technology offers 802...

...Technology / 1259

[www.milan.com](http://www.milan.com)

Motient / 459

[www.motient.com](http://www.motient.com)

Reef Edge / 453

[www.reefedge.com](http://www.reefedge.com)

Vernier Networks / 7988

[www.verniernetworks.com](http://www.verniernetworks.com)

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15018773 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 91916295 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

Understanding wireless LAN vulnerabilities. (Network Security).

Phifer, Lisa

Business Communications Review, 32, 9, 26(7)

Sept., 2002

ISSN: 0162-3885

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 4351

LINE COUNT: 00376

... of treating VLANs just like Ethernet LANs, deploying APs inside the company firewall. Teleworkers using wireless gateways to reach DSL or cable connections at home often make a similar mistake.

Without adequate access control on the VLAN, wireless gateways and APs should always be placed in untrusted territory. Failure to do so leaves the... administration. The same methods used to harden VLAN access routers should be applied to wireless APs -- disable unused services, configure strong passwords and ... VLANs -- can benefit from enabling this basic measure.

\* MAC Access Control Lists: Most enterprise-grade APs can be configured with MAC address lists that prevent associations with unknown wireless stations. Since you will need... L2TP-over-IPsec VPNs encrypt data all the way from remote access clients to security gateways at the private network edge. Wireless laptops and teleworker desktops already equipped ... the VPN tunnel:

\* Tunnel to the AP: A few access points can operate as VPN gateways, terminating PPTP or IPsec tunnels at the edge of the VLAN -- for example, the Colubris CN 05Q.

\* Tunnel to a VPN Firewall: Depending upon network size, traffic... are required, consider tunneling to a special-purpose wireless access appliance from Bluesocket, Reef Edge or Vernier Networks.

\* Upper-Layer Encryption: Methods commonly used to encrypt Internet applications can be used to... reefedge.com

SecurityFocus ([www.securityfocus.com](http://www.securityfocus.com))

Time Warner ([www.aoltime Warner.com](http://www.aoltime Warner.com))

UPS ([www.ups.com](http://www.ups.com))

Vernier Networks ([www.verniernetworks.com](http://www.verniernetworks.com))

FIGURE 1

Users Reporting WLAN Security Incidents Or Attacks

Unauthorized rogue...

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**WLAN on campus**  
Schwartz, Ephraim  
InfoWorld v24n39 PP: 1, 34 Sep 30, 2002  
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...TEXT: decides to rethink its original decision and open up the wireless network? Now the network administrator has to upgrade the APs, which were artfully and painstakingly placed above the ceiling tiles.

Unless the software purchased with...

...keeps the user connected, Sturniolo adds.

After security, the single biggest reason customers come to Vernier is because it has a roaming solution across subnets that allows users to move seamlessly...

...to another without breaking the connection, says Julian Richards, senior director of product marketing at Vernier Networks in Mountain View, Calif. If roaming is not addressed, "[and] you move to another...that each AP be changed individually.

To address the need for better central WLAN control, Vernier offers a two-tier solution that includes boxes at the edge that the APs plug...

...this month its solution for central control of WLANs as well. Using a so-called wireless switch - not actually wireless but cabled to the wireless APs - Symbol's Mobius uses dumb-down access ports rather than access points and puts all of the intelligence into the switch that connects to the network. With WLAN management centralized on a switch, network managers will have a systemwide view of the network on their console and a...

...At the wireless edge," below). To sidestep this potential problem companies such as Symbol and Vernier plan to build redundancy into the next version of their systems, according to sources.

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**Wireless security top priority at N+**  
Anonymous  
Frontline Solutions v3n4 PP: 47 Apr 2002  
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...TEXT: technologies, such as 802.11b, 802.11a and Bluetooth, and supports multiple mobile devices.

The Vernier Networks CS 5000 Control Server centrally manages authentication for all wireless users, coordinates all Layer 3 roaming, and enforces policies and user privileges. The Access Manager connects to multiple access points or edge switches, enforcing pre-configured user rights for authenticated users, enables roaming, and functions as a PPTP, IPsec and L2TP...

...to 54Mbps in standard mode and 72Mbps in Atheros Turbo Mode.

Bluesocket's WG-1000 Wireless Gateway provides access, security, management and mobility solutions for 802.11 and Bluetooth devices. Taiwan-based Edimax Technology offers 802...

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Symbol dumbs down access points, upends VLAN model  
Patrick Mannion  
ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING TIMES, 2002, n 1234, PG12  
PUBLICATION DATE: 020902  
JOURNAL CODE: EET LANGUAGE: English  
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
SECTION HEADLINE: NEWS  
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TEXT:

Manhasset, N.Y. - Using dumb, low-cost access points (APs) tethered to a centralized multiservice switch, Symbol Technologies has rearchitected the enterprise wireless-LAN deployment model. Its switched wireless architecture looks to increase network manageability and to offset...  
...frustrating customers because these can cost up to \$600 or more (for an enterprise-class access point). The management problems only increase as nodes are added."

While companies such as Reef Edge and Vernier do add security, mobility and other management functions in a relatively low-cost, highly scalable...

...All the Access Ports run back to an intelligent Layer 2, 3 and 4 multiservice switch that contains the security features, wireless services, application programming interfaces and content management software. The Linux-based IP switch comes in...

...367.

The architecture has similarities to Proxim's Harmony AP Controller and BlueSocket Inc.'s Wireless Gateway. But those "require the network to be redesigned and rearchitected whenever APs are added," said...

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ELITE SOLUTION SECURES VLANs - SMC's well-rounded EliteConnect System came out on top in our tests. But its rivals can move quickly in a rapidly evolving wireless environment.

Cornell W. Robinson III and Dave Mbita  
NETWORK COMPUTING, 2002, n 1312, PG18  
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JOURNAL CODE: NWC LANGUAGE: English  
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
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...network. Our invitee list included Bluesocket, Columbitex, Ecuteel, Fortress Technologies, NetMotion Wireless, Netseal, Reef Edge and Vernier Networks. Netseal didn't respond to our inquiries, and Fortress declined our invite. Vernier initially agreed to participate but subsequently withdrew, citing a lack of resources. Then, at the 11th hour, SMC Networks enthusiastically offered us its OEM version of Vernier's product.

The solutions impressed us with management capabilities that significantly enhanced the security and...  
...management.

A Tale of Two Architectures

Three of the products we tested-Bluesocket VG-1000 Wireless Gateway, Reef Edge Connect System and SMC EliteConnect-are hardware-based systems; the rest run as services...CHOICE



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## SMC Networks

### EliteConnect WLAN Security system

SMC EliteConnect is an OEM version of Vernier's two-tiered 6000-series system. The Secure Server authenticates users, maintains a consistent configuration...product never dropped a packet while roaming. Although EliteConnect's throughput could use some improvement, Vernier and SMC have gotten everything else right.

SMC EliteConnect WLAN Security System SMC EliteConnect WLAN... starts at \$7,500. Reef Edge, (201) 548-2600. [www.reefedge.com](http://www.reefedge.com)

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## Bluesocket

### VG-1000 Wireless Gateway 1.0

Bluesocket's VG-1000 Wireless Gateway can deliver maximum control over your WLAN. This product is loaded with features; it offers far more control of WLAN clients than...  
...complicates management in large environments where multiple systems are deployed. You can set up two wireless gateways in a master-slave configuration to provide failover support for added redundancy, but if you want to support a new wireless subnet, you have to configure a new gateway from scratch. Version 2.0 still lacks central management. Bluesocket says it wants to avoid...version, the VG-1000 would appear to work best in an organization with a flat wireless network requiring only one gateway or in environments where management of subnets and network security may be decentralized (many university...)

...limitations, Bluesocket's VG-1000 is an appealing and cost-effective solution.

Bluesocket VG-1000 Wireless Gateway 1.0, \$5,995. Bluesocket, (781) 328-0888, (866) 633-3358. [www.bluesocket.com](http://www.bluesocket.com)

C...to test each product without interference from any other.

For the software-based products, we configured access points behind each router with slightly overlapping cells. When a wireless device moved from the coverage...

...operate when we roamed between access points. To evaluate roaming speed, we set up a switch that was connected behind both wireless subnets and made VLANs on the switch to support each wireless subnet. Then we wired a PC into the same switch. With the help of the switch's command line, we switched the PC between subnets...  
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Campus WLAN Design - Tasked with implementing a wireless LAN? It's not as difficult as you might think once you know the basics of radio design.  
Dave Mblta  
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PUBLICATION DATE: 020513  
JOURNAL CODE: NWC LANGUAGE: English  
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
SECTION HEADING: WORKSHOP - MOBILE & WIRELESS TECHNOLOGY  
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... in virtually any location, even if an AC outlet is not nearby.

Note that some APs and NICs can be configured to reduce the output power of the radio, effectively shrinking the RF cell radius and...

...ceiling. In designing a campus WLAN, be aware it may not be legal to purchase APs from one company and configure them with third-party antennas. This is because when vendors submit their products for FCC...

...can consider third-party management and security products. Bluesocket, Colubitech, Ecutel, Funk, NetMotion, NetSeal, ReefEdge, Vernier and others. Finally, many organizations use standards-based VPN gateways and VPN clients on all...existing Ethernet equipment. For example, if you have lots of bandwidth and fairly advanced Ethernet switches, you might establish wireless VLANs- maybe even a single wireless VLAN to more easily manage addresses and to enforce security policies. The wireless VLAN can...

...invest in some additional hardware and software.

First, think about how you're going to manage hundreds of access points. Configuration of APs in an enterprise environment needs to be automated. Some AP vendors, including Proxim design their...

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01248307 QMP ACCESSION NUMBER: NWC20020204S0025  
WLAN SECURITY On The Rise - There are no easy answers yet for ensuring authentication, privacy and authorization on wireless LANs, but the future looks a bit less scary.

Dave Mbita  
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JOURNAL CODE: NWC LANGUAGE: English  
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext  
SECTION HEADLINE: WORKSHOP - SECURITY  
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... access points and often present the available systems to you in a pick list. Some access points can be configured to suppress broadcast of SSIDs. On systems configured in this manner, only clients that know...model, it is inarguably elegant.

Hardware-based security solutions include offerings from Bluesocket, ReefEdge and Vernier Networks. These start-up vendors sell products that involve the interconnection of your access points...

...or more essential security features. For example, NASA's Advanced Supercomputing Division has developed WFG (Wireless Firewall Gateway), built on OpenBSD and providing DHCP services, SSL-based Web authentication and customizable per-user...

...restricting access to the WLAN based on a table of MAC addresses stored on the access point. Some vendors provide management utilities that let these MAC ACLs be distributed to multiple access points within an organization.

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